

### Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims shall replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the instant Application.

Claims 1-11 (canceled)

12. (currently amended) A floor surface covering ~~comprising~~ consisting of a conductive or antistatic substrate consisting of a polyvinylchloride, polyolefin or rubber based flooring with vertical conductive channels containing carbon black and a transparent top-coating topcoating which cures by drying, the top-coating topcoating having a thickness of between 0.5  $\mu$ m and 100  $\mu$ m and ~~comprising~~ consisting of a polyurethane polymer selected from the group consisting of a PU-dispersion, a PU-solution, a two component polyurethane, a PU acrylate, or a mixture thereof and particles with a conductive coating, the particles with a conductive coating consisting essentially of between 0.01 and 10% by weight of the top-coating topcoating of substantially spherical glass particles with a conductive coating ~~comprised~~ consisting of ~~silver, aluminum, copper, nickel, gold or an alloy thereof with another metal~~ and having a mean size between 0.1 and 50  $\mu$ m.

13. (canceled)

14. (canceled)

15. (previously presented) The floor surface covering of claim 12, wherein the particles have a dry bulk resistivity of between 0.0001 and 0.01 Ohms/cm.

16. (canceled)

17. (canceled)

18. (currently amended) The floor surface covering of claim ~~16~~ 12, wherein the polymer of the ~~top-coating~~ topcoating ~~comprises~~ consists of a water based UV-curable PU-acrylate dispersion with a dry content of between 5 % and 80% w/w.

19. (canceled)

20. (canceled)

21. (canceled)

22. (canceled)

23. (canceled)

24. (previously presented) The floor surface covering of claim 18, wherein the dry content is between 20% and 60% w/w.

25. (currently amended) A floor surface covering ~~comprising~~ consisting of a plastic conductive or antistatic flooring substrate and a transparent ~~top-coating~~ topcoating which cures by drying, the ~~top-coating~~ topcoating having a thickness of between 0.5  $\mu$ m and 100  $\mu$ m ~~comprising~~ consisting of a polymer ~~comprising~~ consisting of a polyurethane dispersion, a polyurethane solution, a two component polyurethane, a polyurethane acrylate, an epoxy acrylate, a polyester acrylate, a polyether acrylate, a silicone acrylate or a mixture thereof and particles with a conductive coating consisting essentially of between 0.01 and 10% by weight of the ~~top-coating~~ topcoating of substantially spherical glass particles with a conductive coating ~~comprising~~ consisting of silver, aluminum, copper, nickel, gold or an alloy thereof with another metal and having a mean size between 0.1 and 50  $\mu$ m.

26. (currently amended) A ~~The~~ floor surface covering of claim 25 ~~comprising~~ a conductive or antistatic polyvinyl chloride substrate and a transparent top-coating,

wherein the ~~top-coating~~ topcoating is ~~comprising~~ a polymer ~~comprised~~ consisting of a polyurethane and particles with a conductive coating consisting essentially of about 1% by weight of the ~~top-coating~~ topcoating of substantially spherical silver plated glass particles having a mean size of 10  $\mu\text{m}$ .